

parties, or that patriotic, self-sacrificing Free Soilers meditate any choice between these pro-slavery parties—neither has ever been, or can be, true to liberty, while organized with slaveholders. Slaveholders *cannot* belong to a party that has a single aspiration in favor of universal freedom. Let an old man, of some experience charge the Free Soil members of the two Houses of Congress to adopt, immediately, some plan for State and National meetings of the friends of Union and liberty for an entire and perfect

monstrating its power that may be made to bear upon our next Congress, so as to prevent the con-

The exigency demands a united, powerful, an continued effort. It may cost many of us what remains of our exhausted strength. Be it so. We must no longer measure our efforts by what we can do after every other object has been provided for; but our labors should only be limited by what is required—and the smaller the number of active

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other men comparatively accessible to the will of the majority. The men of the South, of freedom, who have stood forth amid the corrupt politics of the day as the persons who have been the most consistent and the most energetic in an interchange of their self-sacrificing efforts throughout the North. Let the Free Soil men correspond, and having raised sufficient funds for the purpose, let them send to the South Sumner, Palmyra, Hall Maury, Allen, N. A. and Sewards, of the East, shall be invited, and the expressed wish of the people of the United States in behalf of Freedom through the Middle and Western States; and Chase, Giddings, and others, of the West, shall be invited to go through an avowing tour of duty to the South. Most eagerly would their reasons be received, and their words would be listened to, in their journeys to and from Congress and elsewhere. Every village should be roused by a lecture, and every man should be armed against the Fugitive Slave law, and other measures, should depend upon Congress thus to be made.

The means above recited are practical, and would be decisive in their operation. Let the New York to be the first, and let the country be next. Their efficient exercise from this time to the next Presidential election would be to make the South and the West the two great parties to nominate a candidate true to the instincts of Freedom, who would sweep the country, and would be the only one that could be run against him.

Correspondence from East to West is laid upon the table, and the West is to be made to be raised, and the champions of Freedom must be willing to make some sacrifice for the cause. The West is to be made to be still, but most propitious if we arouse.

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THE AUSTIN LIBRARY—The Austin Library, New York, has been established, and is expected to have fifty thousand volumes, when it will be 23,300 volumes, and Joseph Cogswell, the librarian, has been appointed. The library is to be purchased in the spring. Their total receipts for the past year have been \$274,919.00.

LARGE DONATION.—Dr. Smead, the banker of Cincinnati, has made a donation of six thousand dollars to the American Society for the Freed and Indigent Women.

